

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Saturday, October 2, 2021
9:00 AM PDT

Day 1 (Saturday): Areas of dense fog will be noted across coastal southern California through late morning today, and again overnight tonight. Locally breezy winds and elevated fire weather concerns are also expected over the southern California mountains and foothills

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

10/02/21 - 10/08/21

Saturday-Monday

- Locally breezy winds and dry conditions will lead to elevated fire weather conditions at times, primarily across the southern California mountains and foothills
- Areas of dense fog will be noted for coastal areas in southern California each night, generally dissipating by mid to late morning each day
- Otherwise, mainly light winds, dry conditions, and warm temperatures are expected through the weekend and early next week for most areas

Monday Night-Friday

- Breezy conditions will become more widespread across much of northeastern California Monday through Wednesday, likely bringing additional periods of elevated fire weather conditions
- Scattered showers and thunderstorms could develop over southern California Monday night and Tuesday, though no significant impacts are expected
- A stronger storm system could impact much more of the state by late in the week, potentially bringing much cooler, windy, and wetter weather, though at the moment, details regarding the timing and coverage of precipitation remain highly uncertain



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

10/02/21 - 10/08/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds							
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)				Southern			
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern	Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Southern	Southern
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/ Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

10/02/21 - 10/04/21

Precipitation is not expected through Monday

Note: Forecast precipitation amounts are an average for any particular location. Thunderstorms may produce locally higher rainfall amounts.

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

10/07/21 - 10/15/21

6-10 Day Outlook (October 7 – October 11)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are favored statewide

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation is favored for the northern two-thirds of the state, with near normal precipitation favored over southern California

8-14 Day Outlook (October 9 – October 15)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are favored to continue statewide

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation is favored for the northern half of the state, with near normal precipitation favored over the southern half of the state



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